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Atty. Dkt. No. 048772-2300
(formerly 0001.US00)**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Gruber et al.
Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD
FOR INTERACTIVE
FUNDRAISING OVER A
WIDE AREA NETWORK
Appl. No.: 09/740,761
Appl. Filing Date: December 12, 2000
Examiner: S.E. CHENCINSKI
Art Unit: 3628

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. This RCE and the enclosed items listed below are being filed prior to the earliest of: (1) payment of the issue fee (unless a petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.313 is granted); (2) abandonment of the application; or (3) the filing of a notice of appeal to the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit under 35 U.S.C. §141, or the commencement of a civil action under 35 U.S.C. §145 or §146 (unless the appeal or civil action is terminated).

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114: (check items that apply)

a. Previously submitted:

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b. Enclosed are:

- ☒ Amendment/Reply.
- ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s).
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement.
- ☐ Form PTO-1449 with copies of ____ listed reference(s).
- ☒ Statement Under 37 CFR 3.73(b).
- ☒ Power of Attorney to Prosecute Applications Before the USPTO.

Miscellaneous:

- ☐ Suspension of action of the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of ____ months.

The filing fee is calculated below:

	Claims as Amended	Previously Paid For	Extra Claims Present	Rate	Fee Totals
RCE Fee 1.17(e):				\$790.00	= \$790.00
Total Claims:	136	-	= 0	x \$50.00	= \$0.00
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